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Heritage Park, opened to the public on July 1, 1964, was initially made possible by grants from the Wood's Foundation and the City of Calgary. The park is located on a sixty acre peninsula jutting into Glenmore Reservoir in Southwest Calgary and is jointly administered by the City and the Heritage Park Society.

The Park represents an authentic portrayal of life in Western Canada prior to 1914. To maintain this authenticity, buildings and artifacts have been brought in from many parts of Western Canada. Exhibits are the result of donations by corporations, individuals and Government and the Glenbow-Alberta Institute.

Heritage Park, a registered charity, is dedicated to those people who settled the West and, through the determination and generosity of concerned citizens, will continue to be a living memorial to those pioneers.

POINTS OF INTEREST

AREA A

- A-1 Park Entrance
- A-2 Gate Snack Bar
- A-3 Bedingfeld Ranch House, 1910 & Administration Office
- A-4 Electric Street Car & Empire Station
- A-5 Street Car Barn
- A-6 Narrow Gauge Mine Railway Locomotive & Cars, c. 1900
- A-7 Hull Carriage House, 1910
- A-8 "The Hook" or Railway Steam Crane, 1913
- A-9 Railway Sand Tower, 1905
- A-10 CPR Water Tower, 1902
- A-11 Railway Exhibit with Historic Coaches
- A-12 Midnapore Station, 1910
- A-13 Curio Shop
- A-14 Canmore Opera House, 1896
- A-15 Bruderheim Windmill, 1910
- A-16 Miller's Cabin, Langdon Town Hall, 1886
- A-17 Steam Locomotive & Cars

AREA B

- B-1 Miner's Cabin, 1883
- B-2 Water Wheel & Tunnel
- B-3 Oil Tank Car, c. 1900
- B-4 Dingman Discovery Well, 1913
- B-5 Cable Tool Water Drilling Rig, 1900
- B-6 Trapper's Cabin 1910
- B-7 The Children's Pallisade & Playground

AREA C

- C-1 Horse Drawn Streetcar, 1882
- C-2 Picnic Area
- C-3 Didsbury Bandstand, 1904
- C-4 Prince House, 1894
- C-5 Sandstone House, 1891
- C-6 Eugene Coste Park
- C-7 Bowness Carousel, 1905
- C-8 Shepard Station, 1910 & Boat Ticket Office
- C-9 The Boat Dock Entrance
- C-10 The S.S. Moyie
- C-11 Vulcan Ice Cream Parlor, 1910
- C-12 Claresholm General Store, 1904
- C-13 Black's Jewelry Store, 1904
- C-14 Botsford Harness Shop, 1906
- C-15 Gledhill's Drug Store, 1908
- C-16 Wainwright Hotel, 1906
- C-17 Post Office & Telephone Exchange
- C-18 Two Storey Outhouse, 1906
- C-19 Thorpe House, 1886
- C-20 Airdrie House, 1906
- C-21 Rectory, 1899
- C-22 St. Martin's Anglican Church, 1896
- C-23 The Graveyard, 1890

AREA D

- D-1 Weedon School & Barn, 1910
- D-2 Webster House, 1911
- D-3 Toole Barn, 1903
- D-4 Strathmore & Bow Valley Standard Print Shop, 1909
- D-5 Baron's Pool Hall, 1910

- D-6 Alberta Bakery, 1897
- D-7 Flett's Blacksmith Shop, 1904
- D-8 Nanton Livery Stable, 1910
- D-9 Strathmore Insurance Agent's Office, 1908
- D-10 High River Laundry, c. 1900
- D-11 Dentist's Office, 1914
- D-12 High River Law Office, 1909
- D-13 Trader's Bank of Munson, 1904
- D-14 Masonic Lodge, 1884
- D-15 Cochrane Fire Hall, 1909 & Fire Engine, 1912
- D-16 Atlas Lumber Yard & Office
- D-17 Hudson's Bay Company Fur Trade Fort, 1819
- D-18 Tipi Ring, 1740
- D-19 Shonts Grain Elevator, 1909
- D-20 Mannix Road Machinery, 1904
- D-21 Ten Horse Grain Wagon Train, c. 1910
- D-22 Gunn Barn, c. 1908
- D-23 Train Shed
- D-24 Trestle Bridge

AREA E

- E-1 Royal North West Mounted Police Barrack, 1890
- E-2 Burns Barn, c. 1908 & Devonian Carriage Collection
- E-3 The Machine Shed
- E-4 Burnside Ranch House, 1904
- E-5 The Root House
- E-6 The Sod Shack
- E-7 The Chicken Coop
- E-8 Copithorne Barn, 1904
- E-9 Early Colonist House Complex
- E-10 Copithorne Barn
- E-11 Laggan Station, 1890
- E-12 Howell Station, 1896

AREA F

- F-1 The Indian Encampment
- F-2 Walter Grant McKay Cabin, 1884
- F-3 Gleichen School, 1886
- F-4 Bachelor's Tent
- F-5 Banff Curling Club House, 1898 & Photo Shop
- F-6 North West Mounted Police Sawmill, 1875
- F-7 Berry Creek NWMP Post, 1905
- F-8 Homesteader's Tent
- F-9 Drew's Saloon, 1887
- F-10 McVittie Cabin, 1882 Calgary's First House
- F-11 Millarville Ranchers' Hall, 1895
- F-12 Sam Livingston's Farm, 1883

FACILITIES & OTHER SERVICES

- Telephones A-1, C-16
- Washrooms A-12, C-8, C-16, D-22, E-12, F-11
- First Aid, Lost & Found A-3
- Park Information A-1, A-3
- Souvenirs and Gifts A-13, C-15
- Films & Postcards A-13, C-15
- Snacks A-2, C-16, C-8, F-11
- Dinners and Lunches C-16
- Freshly Baked Bread D-6
- Penny Candies C-12
- Train Tickets A-12, C-8
- Boat Tickets C-8
- Carousel C-7

DON'T MISS...

THE WAINWRIGHT HOTEL

Enjoy a luncheon or dinner in our licensed dining room or the open terrace. Refreshments and snacks are also served at the bar. For catering enquiries telephone 255-1182.

GLEDHILL'S DRUGSTORE

Purchase film, post cards, or beautiful English Bone China in a truly authentic 1908 drug store.

THE OLD TRAIN

"All aboard!" shouts the conductor and you're off on a trip two times 'round the park. The train leaves every twenty minutes from the Midnapore Station and stops at both Laggan and Shepard Stations.

THE S.S. MOYIE

Embark on a leisurely cruise on beautiful Glenmore Lake in this typical early paddle steamer reconstructed on a smaller scale from authentic plans. The Moyie leaves every thirty five minutes.

THE CANMORE OPERA HOUSE

Old-time entertainment is livelier than ever at one of Alberta's first opera houses. See the notice board daily, throughout the year, for schedules and prices.

THE BOWNESS CAROUSEL

Ride one of the biggest attractions at the fairs in the early days. Gaily painted horses gallop merrily around to the magical sounds of calliope music.

THE CLARESHOLM GENERAL STORE

Shop here for penny candy, cheese and crackers, or apples and oranges. The children will love this store!

THE ALBERTA BAKERY

The aroma of freshly-baked, country-style bread is tempting indeed. Buy a loaf or two. The flour is stone-ground in the Heritage Park Bakery.

THE POST OFFICE

Send a souvenir post card with a special Heritage Park cancellation stamp on it from this old post office built in 1909.

THE CURIO SHOP

Browse through counters loaded with curios and souvenirs. Buy one or two as a reminder of your "visit" to the Old Canadian West at Heritage Park.

SNACKS AND ICE CREAM

Pause for some hot dogs, ice cream or other goodies. There's a snack bar nearby anywhere in the Park — at the Main Gate, Wainwright Hotel, Shepard Station, the Millarville Ranchers' Hall and, on special days, at the Gunn Barn.

STRATHMORE AND BOW VALLEY STANDARD

Extra! Extra! Read All About It! Get your copy of Heritage Park's Strathmore and Bow Valley Standard now being sold in the Park.

PICNIC AREAS

At Heritage Park there's plenty of room for picnics and outdoor fun. Enjoy a family outing in an Old West setting. (Barbecues not allowed).
